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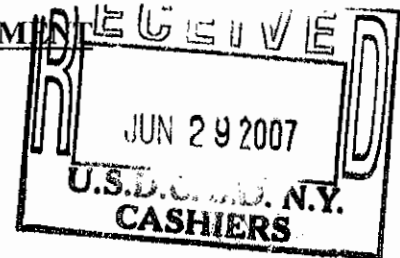
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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RULE 7.1 STATEMENT



STEMCOR (USA) INC.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

TEXAS AMERICAN SHIPPING CORP.,  
a/k/a TASC,

Defendant.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the undersigned counsel for plaintiff STEMCOR (USA) INC. certifies that, according to information provided to counsel by its clients, STEMCOR (USA) INC is not a publicly held corporation or subsidiary or affiliate of a publicly held corporation.

Dated: New York, New York  
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